

Sunday, November 1, 2020

Ordinary Time

SMALL GROUP WORSHIP SERVICE LITURGY

All songs are included in the back of the package.

The entire worship service will be streamed live starting at 9:30am at

<http://www.firsthamilton.ca/live>

Pastor: Rev. Hayden Regeling

Musicians: Deb Wiebenga + Team

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WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 am

*You are invited to rise in body or spirit

Prelude

GOD GATHERS US

Welcome

Opening Prayer:

Leader: O God, who created us in love,

People: create us anew in love as we worship you.

Leader: O Jesus Christ, who redeemed this world in love,

People: reclaim our hearts as we worship you.

Leader: O Holy Spirit, who moves this world toward its God-appointed end,

People: move within us as we worship you. Amen.

(Worship Sourcebook 2nd Ed. 1.4.52 p. 75)

Call to Worship: Psalm 124:8

* Greetings:

The Peace of Christ be with you!

And also with you!

* **Song: Hymnal #540 Holy God We Praise Your Name** (Public Domain)

GOD RENEWS US

Prayer of Confession

Leader: Lord, you have called us to worship you.

People: We gladly gather!

Leader: As we praise you, though, our own inadequacy reminds us
of how we have broken our relationship with you.

Because we have sinned against you,
even our worship fails to be what it could.

People: We often treat it as a show. We simply go through motions, failing to recognize that you want to engage us deeply.

Leader: Renew us, we pray, according to your steadfast love.

People: Remind us of your covenant faithfulness.

Leader: Have mercy on us in the name of Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

(Adapted from Worship Sourcebook 2nd Ed. 2.2.58 p.105)

Assurance of Pardon and Call to Holy Living:

Leader: Hear the good news! There is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and death. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun. Know that in Jesus, God embraces you, forgives you, and strengthens you to live a renewed life.

People: Thanks be to God!

(Worship Sourcebook 2nd Ed. 2.4.1 p. 115)

Song of Praise: You Are My All in All (CCLI Song #825356 - CCLI License #2024198)

Confession of Faith: The Apostles Creed Hymnal #783-A

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit
and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended to heaven

and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

(Text A: tr. from the 4th century Latin text, © 1988 Faith Alive Christian Resources. Used with permission)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession | Keith Groen

GOD SPEAKS WITH US

Scripture Reading: Matthew 6: 19-34

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Message: Treasure in Heaven

Prayer

* **Hymnal #863 Take My Life, and Let It Be** (vs. 1, 2, 4, 6) (Public Domain)

GOD RECEIVES OUR OFFERINGS

Offering: First Offering: First Hamilton CRC Budget

Second Offering: World Renew - World Hunger

Ways to give:

- 1) **PAR (Pre-Authorized Remittance):** (to get set up with PAR, please email office@firsthamilton.ca)
- 2) **CanadaHelps.org:** <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/first-hamilton-christian-reformed-church/>
(please put a note with designation details in the message area)
- 3) Or, by **mailing** a cheque to 195 Charlton Ave W. Hamilton, ON L8P 2C9

GOD SENDS US

* Blessing

* **Song: Hymnal #938 My Friends May You Grow in Grace** (permission sought)

Postlude